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Washington, DC 20231

**SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT**

Sir:

In furtherance of the Response dated October 27, 1999, and the Supplemental Response dated January 3, 2000, applicants submit the following Supplemental Amendment.

**REMARKS**

This Supplemental Amendment is addressing only one of the issues raised in the Office Action dated April 27, 1999, namely the rejection of the claimed subject matter under 35 U.S.C. §103 as defining subject matter which is allegedly rendered obvious by the teachings in an article by Kratschmer, et al. in Chemical Physics Letter, 1990, 167-170 ("Kratschmer,

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<b>AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER (Small Entity)</b> Applicant(s): Donald R. Huffman, et al.			Docket No. 7913ZAZY
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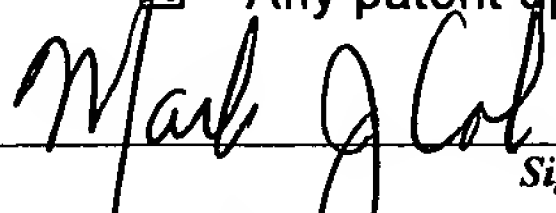
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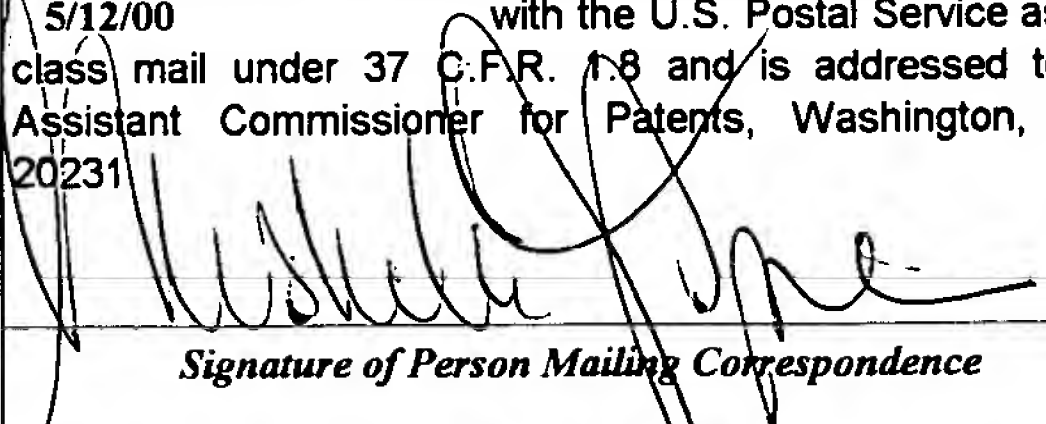
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